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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mark S. Knighton, et al.

Application No.: 10/664,232

Filed: September 17, 2003

For: **DIGITIZER USING INTENSITY
GRADIENT TO IMAGE FEATURES
OF THREE-DIMENSIONAL OBJECTS**

Art Group: 2877

Examiner: Vincent P. Barth

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 23, 2004, Applicants amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the title of the patent application as follows:

THREE DIMENSIONAL DIGITIZER USING MULTIPLE METHODS ~~INTENSITY~~
~~GRADIENT TO IMAGE FEATURES OF THREE-DIMENSIONAL OBJECTS~~

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the Abstract with the following:

A method and apparatus capable of using two or more capture methods to create three-dimensional representations of a target captured. Elements of the three-dimensional digital representation generated from the plural capture method are combined to yield a single digital three-dimensional representation having improved quality.